# Welcome to tonight's City Council meeting!

The elected officials of the City of Bonners Ferry are appreciative of an involved constituency. Testimony from the public is encouraged concerning issues when addressed under the <u>Public Hearing</u> portion of the agenda. Any individual who wishes may address the council on any issue, whether on the agenda or not, during the <u>Public Comments</u> period. Normal business will preclude public participation during the business portion of the meeting with the discretion left to the Mayor and Council.

## **Vision Statement**

Bonners Ferry, "The Friendliest City", strives to achieve balanced growth, builds on community strengths, respects natural resources, promotes excellence in Government, and values quality of life.

AGENDA
CITY COUNCIL MEETING
Bonners Ferry City Hall
7232 Main Street
267-3105
September 2, 2008
6:30 p.m.

## PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

## **PUBLIC HEARING**

## **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Each speaker will be allowed a maximum of five minutes, unless repeat testimony is requested by the Mayor/Council

#### **GUESTS**

Gary Falcon and Eddie Goldsmith – E911 Program Mike Ashby – Veteran & Flag Issues

## **REPORTS**

Police/Fire/City Administrator/Electric Department

#### **CONSENT AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order/Roll Call
- 2. Approval of Bills and Payroll
- 3. Treasurer's Report
- 4. Approval of August 26, 2008 Council Meeting Minutes
- 5. City Authorization for Employees to Attend Executive Seminar on Leadership in Coeur d'Alene on October 1, 2008 (attachment)
- 6. Electric Approval for Blaine Grossman to Attend Meter School in Seattle on September 8-12, 2008 (attachment)

# **OLD BUSINESS**

- 7. City City Visitor Center Advertising
- 8. Police Animal Pound Caretaker
- 9. City Roof Repairs (attachment)
- 10. Sewer Oak Street Line Repair/Replacement (attachment)

## **NEW BUSINESS**

- 11. City E911 System Assistance and Approval
- 12. City Accept Resignation of Mike Klaus (attachment)
- 13. City Permission to Advertise for Hire of Employee (attachment)
- 14. Water Authorize Mayor to Sign Change Order #5, Pay Request #6, Balancing Change Order #6, Retainage Release Pay Request #7, and DEQ Loan Request #17 for Phase 1A of the Water Project (attachment)
- 15. Water Authorize Mayor to Sign Certificate of Substantial Completion for Phase 1A (attachment)
- Sewer Approval to Contract for Line Maintenance at Kootenai River Inn (attachment)
- 17. Electric NRU Letter of Intent (attachment)
- 18. Water Information on Fluoride Treatment (attachment)
- 19. Street Authorize Purchase of Roller (attachment)
- 20. City Billing Update (attachment)
- 21. City Set Joint Meeting with Commissioners

# **EXECUTIVE SESSION PURSUANT TO IDAHO CODE 67-2345, SUBSECTION 1**

- (a) Consider hiring a public officer, employee, staff member or individual agent.
- (b) Consider the evaluation, dismissal or disciplining of, or to hear complaints or charges brought against, a public officer, employee, staff member or individual agent, or public school student.
- (c) Conduct deliberations concerning labor negotiations or to acquire an interest in real property which is not owned by a public agency.
- (d) Consider records that are exempt from disclosure as provided in chapter 3, title 9, Idaho Code.
- (e) Consider preliminary negotiations involving matters of trade or commerce in which the governing body is in competition with governing bodies in other states or nations.
- (f) Communicate with legal counsel for the public agency to discuss the legal ramifications of and legal options for pending litigation, or controversies not yet being litigated but imminently likely to be litigated.
- (g) Engage in communications with a representative of the public agency's risk manager or insurance provider to discuss the adjustment of a pending claim or prevention of a claim imminently likely to be filed.

# <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

# **NEXT MEETING DATE**

# <u>INFORMATION</u>

- 22. Street Letter Dated 8-26-08 to DEQ RE: Snow Disposal (attachment)
- 23. City Information from ICRMP RE: On-Call/Standby Time (attachment)
- 24. City Meeting on 9-4-08 at 4:30 p.m. with Michelle Sandberg and Greg Helbling to Discuss Insurance Benefits and Alternatives